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## **Patent Application**

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Title:

Automated Link Variant Determination and Protocol Configuration

for Customer Premises Equipment and Other Network Devices

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the second non-final Office Action dated November 3, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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